

# STATE OF ALASKA

## CERTIFICATE OF PRESUMPTIVE DEATH 150

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ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES  
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS—P.O. BOX 110675  
JUNEAU, ALASKA 99811-0675

STATE FILE NUMBER

DATE RECEIVED  
SEP 03 2004

TYPE OR PRINT  
IN PERMANENT INK

MISSING  
PERSON

PARENTS

PETITIONER

CIRCUMSTANCES  
SURROUNDING  
DISAPPEARANCE

PRESUMPTION

ORDER

BIRTH CERTIFICATE NUMBER		1. DECEDENT'S NAME (First, Middle, Last) Kristin Marie Snyder		1a. MAIDEN NAME Snyder		2. SEX F		3. DATE OF DEATH (Month, Day, Year) 02/06/2003	
RECORDERS NO.		4. SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER 773-52-4793		5. AGE—Last Birthday (Year) 35		6. DATE OF BIRTH (Month, Day, Year) 12/14/1967		7. BIRTHPLACE (State or Foreign Country) Tallahassee, Florida	
		8. MARITAL STATUS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NEVER MARRIED <input type="checkbox"/> MARRIED <input type="checkbox"/> WIDOWED <input type="checkbox"/> DIVORCED <input type="checkbox"/> UNKNOWN		9. SURVIVING SPOUSE (If wife, give maiden name)					
		10a. DECEDENT'S USUAL OCCUPATION (Give kind of work done during most of working life. Do not use retired) Environmentalist		10b. KIND OF BUSINESS/INDUSTRY Consultant, National Guard		11. WAS DECEDENT EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> UNKNOWN			
		12a. RESIDENCE—STATE Alaska		12b. CITY, TOWN OR LOCATION Anchorage		12c. STREET AND NUMBER 6014 Glenkerry Drive			
		12d. INSIDE CITY LIMITS OR SETTLED COMMUNITY? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> UNKNOWN		12e. ZIP CODE 99504		13. WAS DECEDENT OF HISPANIC ORIGIN? (Specify No or Yes—if Yes, specify Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, etc.) <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO Specify:		14. RACE—Filipino, Black, Native, White, etc. Specify: White	
		15. DECEDENT'S EDUCATION (Specify only highest grade completed) Elementary/Secondary (9-12) College (1-4 or 5+) 12 6		16. FATHER'S NAME (First, Middle, Last) Robert Eugene Snyder		17. MOTHER'S NAME (First, Middle, Maiden Surname) Jonnie Flynn McCormac			
		18a. PETITIONER—NAME Heidi Clifford		18b. MAILING ADDRESS (Street and Number or Rural Route Number, City or Town, State, Zip Code) 6014 Glenkerry Dr. Anchorage, AK 99504		18c. RELATIONSHIP TO DECEDENT Domestic Partner			
		19. LAST SEEN ALIVE—DATE MONTH DAY YEAR 02 06 2003		20. PLACE Anchorage, Alaska					
		21a. IF TRANSPORT <input type="checkbox"/> WATERCRAFT <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Specify) <input type="checkbox"/> AIRCRAFT		21b. TYPE/NAME		21c. OWNER		22. INJURY AT WORK? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	
		23a. ENROUTE FROM—STATE		23b. CITY, TOWN OR LOCATION		24a. TO—STATE		24b. CITY, TOWN OR LOCATION	
		25. STATUS <input type="checkbox"/> OPERATOR <input type="checkbox"/> PASSENGER <input type="checkbox"/> CREWMEMBER		26. WRECKAGE OR OTHER PHYSICAL EVIDENCE FOUND <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO					
		27a. STATE OF DEATH ALASKA		27b. RECORDING DISTRICT Third Judicial District		27c. CITY, TOWN OR LOCATION Seward, Alaska			
		28. PERSONS INVOLVED IN ACCIDENT		29. IF VIOLENT DEATH <input type="checkbox"/> ACCIDENT <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SUICIDE <input type="checkbox"/> HOMICIDE <input type="checkbox"/> COULD NOT BE DETERMINED					
		TOTAL NUMBER KILLED		NUMBER OF SURVIVORS					
		30. CAUSE OF DEATH Ms. Snyder disappeared on 2/6/03. After extensive search of Seward area where vehicle was found and notes found in vehicle indicating her intent to commit suicide, the jury determined that cause of death was suicide. No body was recovered during search of Seward area.							
		31a. ORDER NO.		31b. <input type="checkbox"/> MISSING PERSON PRESUMED DEAD AFTER 5 YEARS UNDER AS 13.06.035					
		31c. DATE ENTERED MONTH DAY YEAR 07/13/04		31d. <input type="checkbox"/> VIOLENT DEATH PRESUMED UNDER AS 09.55.035		31e. HEARING—DATE MONTH DAY YEAR 07/13/04		31f. PLACE Anchorage	
		32a. I CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE NAMED PERSON WAS PRESUMED BY THIS COURT TO HAVE DIED AT THE PLACE, ON THE DATE, AND DUE TO THE CAUSE(S) STATED ABOVE.		32b. COURT OFFICIAL—SIGNATURE <i>John R. Lohff</i>		32c. TITLE District Court Judge			
		32d. NAME—TYPE OR PRINT JOHN R. LOHFF		32e. COURT—NAME AND MAILING ADDRESS Anchorage District Court, 825 W. 4th, Anchorage AK 99501					
		32f. DATE SIGNED MONTH DAY YEAR 7/27/04		32g. RECORDING DISTRICT—NAME AND ADDRESS		32h. DATE RECORDED MONTH DAY YEAR			
		33a. RECORDER—SIGNATURE		33b. RECORDING DISTRICT—NAME AND ADDRESS		33c. DATE RECORDED MONTH DAY YEAR			

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I CERTIFY THAT THIS IS A TRUE, FULL AND CORRECT COPY OF THE ORIGINAL CERTIFICATE ON FILE IN THE BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS, DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES, JUNEAU, ALASKA.

DATE ISSUED FEB 08 2005

*Phillip L. Mitchell*  
STATE REGISTRAR

ANY ALTERATION OR ERASURE VOIDS THIS CERTIFICATE





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SUMMARY OF EVIDENCE: (IF NECESSARY, ATTACH ADDITIONAL SHEETS)

On February 6, 2003 at approximately 4:00 p.m. Ms Snyder left the seminar she had been attending. She did not return to pick up the people who rode to the seminar with her. At approximately 7:00 p.m. her roommate/domestic partner, Heidi Clifford, concerned because of Ms. Snyder's recent bizarre behavior (discussions of suicide, laying in snow to kill herself), contacted the Anchorage Police Department to report Ms. Snyder missing. Ms. Clifford also contacted a friend of Ms. Snyder, Kenneth Powers and they began a search of the Anchorage area. Ms. Snyder's vehicle was located near Millers Landing in Seward Alaska at 2120 hours on February 7, 2003. A note inside the vehicle indicated that Snyder was planning to commit suicide, ending with "no need to search for my body." On the morning of February 8, 2003 Millers Landing resort personnel discovered a storage shed containing kayaks and gear had been broken into and an old kayak was missing. The storage shed was close to where Snyder's vehicle was located.

On February 8, 2003 and February 9, 2003 a large search effort was conducted in and around Resurrection Bay. The search consisted of Alaska State Troopers, Seward area fire/EMS volunteers, the US Coast Guard, Forest Service law enforcement, the Seward Police Department Civil Air Patrol and friends of Snyder, many of whom are part of an organized search and rescue team as part of the Nordic Ski Club. After two full days of active searching no sign of Ms. Snyder was located. CAF flight was accomplished on 2/14/03 with negative results.

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WITNESSES: (APPEARING IN PERSON OR BY DEPOSITION)

NAME	ADDRESS
Heidi Clifford	6014 Glenkerry Drive Anchorage, Alaska 99504
Kenneth Powers	317 W. 12th Ave Anchorage, AK 99501
Sergeant Brandon Anderson Alaska State Troopers	410 Adams Street Seward Alaska 99664

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ADDITIONAL FACTS ENTERED LATER: (FOR USE OF BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS ONLY)